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RAINFALL TOTALS 1.21 INCHES; HALTS BEET HARVEST

A storm front, centered over this area since Sunday, has resulted in continued cloudiness during the week and the intermittent rainfall has amounted to 1.21 inches.

Manuel Swartz, who maintains the rain gauge at the Southern Pacific depot in Niles, reports .28 of an inch for Sunday night ad Monday, .06 of an inch on Tuesday, and .87 of an inch by noon Wednesday.

EXCELLS LAST YEAR RECORD

Total rainfall since July 1 has amounted to 1.73 inches, well over the .90 of an inch recorded to this date last year.

Cauliflower growers welcomed the rainfall on their new crops but the sugar beet growers look upon it with an entirely different aspect.

With the sugar beet crop little more than half harvested, the growers are not able to get into the fields and many said yesterday that if the rainfall continues they will lose considerably on the crop which will rapidly deteriorate.

MINOR MISHAPS

The Holly Sugar plant at Alvarado reported Wednesday that all truck deliveries of local beets had halted because of the rain. However the plant is still operating at full capacity with the beets that had been stored awaiting processing.

A new storm moved in from the north Tuesday evening, accompanied by winds that reached a velocity of 30-35 miles per hour.

No damage from the storm has been reported here but the slippery highways have resulted in numerous minor auto mishaps.

LOCAL MAN HURT IN FATAL CRASH

Leonard Cunha, 32, Centerville, was treated at Tracy Hospital on Saturday for minor injuries received in a highway crash on Byron Road near Mountain House in northeastern Alameda County.

Fred Ashbell, 57, Alameda, was killed in the auto smashup. He was riding in a car driven by Otto E. Anderson, also of Alameda, which collided with the Cunha machine.

Highway patrolmen said that Cunha apparently drove onto Byron Road and hit Anderson's car broadside, causing it to overturn.

ATTENTION READERS!

It isn't Friday—and we haven't slipped a cog and gone to press on the wrong day.

Because Friday, November 11, is a holiday and the post offices will be closed, it was necessary to print this week's issue of The Register one day early, in order that you might have time to take advantage of the many week-end bargains listed by merchants of the township.

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SECOND DELAY IN CENTERVILLE TRIAL

The jury trial slated to be held in Centerville Justice Court on Wednesday was postponed a second time because of illness.

The trial has been reset for Wednesday, November 16, at the request of the defense and the state. Lester Foley, attorney for the defense, asked the continuance because of the critical illness of his father. The district attorney's office asked the continuance because of the illness of one of the state's witnesses, Deputy Sheriff Temple.

The seven defendants, free on bond of $500 each, were arrested in the New Manila Club in Alvarado on the night of August 19 in a raid staged by sheriff's deputies. They are charged with playing and operating a banking and percentage game played with dominoes.

WESTVACO PLANT AT NEWARK BACK INTO PRODUCTION

The Westvaco Chemical plant at Newark, which closed down production on Monday, October 17, because of the wide-spread steel strike, is gradually resuming normal operations and is expected to be back in full scale production within a week.

ALL BUT 20 BACK

W. W. Bolton, personnel manager, stated Tuesday that approximately 100 of the 120 persons laid off temporarily by the shutdown, have now been called back to work and expressed hope that all the workers could be returned to their jobs early next week.

The plant was closed down after the steel mills in the nation, curtailed the market for the chemical plant's major product, magnesium oxide, a refractory material that is used in making bricks that line open hearth furnaces.

At that time a letter from W. K. Wallace, western manager for Westvaco, was handed the employees, stating in part, "This shutdown has been forced upon us by a lack of sales outlets for our principal product, due to the present steel strike."

FIRST SHUTDOWN

Bolton said Tuesday that the increase in the market for their products in the past week has merited the resuming of operations.

With the exception of an eight-hour shutdown three years ago, last month's curtailment marked the first time since the plant opened in 1929 that production has been halted.

CENTERVILLE WILL DECORATE STREETS

The entire business district of Centerville will be gaily decorated for the Christmas season for the first time this year, according to a report given at the Chamber of Commerce meeting Wednesday.

Harry Weber, chairman of the decoration committee, announced that 65 Christmas trees have been purchased and will be relivered on November 26 to be installed throughout the business section. He also revealed that the Arts Department of the high school is at work on 30 painted wooden figures of Santa Claus to be placed about town.

Leonard Miller and William Clarke, who have been calling on merchants soliciting funds for the erection of strands of colored lights across the street in the shopping district, reported that enough money has been contributed thus far to pay for 20 strands.

Weber added that the large tree on the Southern Pacific property will again be decorated by the Chamber of Commerce and the Lions Club.

It was voted to hold the next night dinner meeting on Wednesday, December 7, at the California Inn.

HUNTERS FIRE ON LOW FLYING PLANE NEAR IRVINGTON

A San Jose physician and his son-in-law have reported that they were peppered with shotgun blasts Sunday afternoon when they flew their two-seated, single-engine airplane over a duck pond south of Irvington.

Owner of the plane, Dr. R. S. Kneeshaw, reported to officers that between 20 and 30 pellets hit the plane and said that if it had not been constructed of metal, "it just would have been too bad."

'DELIBERATELY AIMED'

Dr. Kneeshaw was riding as a passenger and his son-in-law, David Schrader, 25, an ex-army pilot, was flying the plane when they came in over the pond at what they maintain was about 300 feet.

The physician explained that the plane would ordinarily have been much higher but they were looking for a landing field which they believed to be nearby. "We wouldn't even have come in across the pond at that altitude except that we noticed the hunters, about four or five of them, picking up their birds and we knew we wouldn't be scaring the ducks.," Dr. Kneeshaw said.

He said that as they flew over he saw one of the hunters deliberately aim his gun and fire twice at the plane, peppering it with shot along one side.

NO SYMPATHY

The report was relayed from the Santa Clara County sheriff's office to the Alameda County sheriff's office for investigation.

Deputies from the Hayward office said they talked to the owners of the Mallard Duck Club, Bohannons Club and Costa's Gun Club, but that all denied any knowledge of the incident.

Some sportsmen, who had been in the area, reported that they had not fired the anti-aircraft blast, but expressed little sympathy for the complainant. They reported that they had taken the number of the craft with the idea of reporting it to the C.A.A. because it had flown so low—60 feet they estimated—that it endangered both the hunters and the game.

CHARGE NILES MAN WITH BURGLARY

Alfred Andrade, 47, a Niles laborer, has been charge with the November 1 burglary of the Joseph Shinn home near Niles and will appear before Judge E. A. Quaresma here November 18 for arraignment.

Loot taken from the home included a wrist watch, a pocket watch, cigarettes and eggs with a total estimated value of $75.

Andrade was arrested last Friday morning by Deputy Sheriff Henry Vervais after the officer found one of the watches in his belongings. The other watch, which had been sold, was also found.

He appeared in court last Friday afternoon and asked for time to secure counsel. Bail was set at $250.

ANNUAL BOY SCOUT RODEO AT HIGH SCHOOL TUESDAY

The annual Boy Scout Rodeo for members of Washington Township's five troops will be held in the gymnasium of Washington Union High School at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, November 15.

The troops will compete for the Township Trophy, to be awarded to the troop compiling the most points in competitive events on Scout crafts and achievements. The Attendance Pennant will be awarded the troop registering the most visitors at the rally and first, second and third place pennants will be given as awards in the individual rodeo events.

Fred Duffie, district chairman of activities, is in charge of arrangements and the program will be opened by Judge Allen G. Norris, Centerville, president of the Oakland Area Boy Scout Council.

Assisting in the events will be the following Scoutmasters: Orin Dunbar, Centerville; James Fine, Decoto; Bob Zwissig, Irvington; Carl Pierce, Newark, and Tom Robbins of Niles. Phil Sousa of Centerville, advancement chairman, and Richard Texera of Newark, neighborhood commissioner, will also assist in the festivities.

TINY TOT TERMED TREMENDOUS TWIRLER

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ALVARADO LAD AMAZES LOCAL AUDIENCES

Half-time activities at football games are generally colorful and entertaining to the sport fans but rarely win the ovation given at every home game at Washington Union High School when the marching band takes to the field.

The snappy, uniformed black and orange clad musicians, with their attractive, strutting majorettes, are indeed one of the finest high school organizations in the bay area but, the headline attraction which borders on the phenomena is a tiny, prancing "mascot" drum major who twirls his baton with the best of them.

CROWD AMAZED

He is Billy Harper II, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harper, Watkins Street, Alvarado. When this little mite steps to the head of the band in his beautifully tailored black and gold uniform and begins spinning his baton in a professional manner it has the crowd rubbing their eyes in disbelief.

When he picks up a second baton and begins vigorously twirling with both hands the stunned silence has each time broken into a roaring ovation.

From his polished performances one might think that he had begun twirling his soup spoon at the ripe old age of two, but his mother revealed this week that Billy was first introduced to a baton at Christmas time last year.

That first introduction blossomed into a real comradeship and young Billy spends many hours each day out in his play yard practicing intricate maneuvers with his baton. Four months ago he added the second baton and now has ideas of getting still another to work out a juggling act.

MOTHER INSTRUCTS

When time permits, Billy also performs with the San Jose Drum and Bugle Corps as guest twirler.

HIGH STEPPER . . . Little Billy Harper II, Alvarado, "mascot" for the high school band, who has been thrilling local audiences with his baton twirling.—Register Photo.

It might be said that it was only natural that Billy would show a keen interest in a baton, for his mother, the former Winifred Santos, was the first majorette to perform with a Washington High School band, beginning in 1941.

Billy, whose smile reminds one of last year's hit tune, "All I Want for Christmas is My Two Front Teeth," explained that he is now practicing with new type neon-type batons which will glow in the dark, and hopes to have that act perfected before Christmas.

COUNTY BUILDING SITE 'IN VICINITY OF CENTERVILLE'

Two sites, both 'in the vicinity of Centerville," have been selected as the most likely location for a branch county office in this section of the county, it was revealed Wednesday by Supervisor Chester E. Stanley.

Speaking before the Centerville Chamber of Commerce, Stanley stated that the Board had received recommendations for eight possible sites for the proposed building.

EXPECT REPORT THIS WEEK

He stated that the board had selected what it considered the best two locations, and had turned the matter over to the district attorney's office for an appraisal of the property. "We are expecting a report from the district attorney's office within another week." Stanley said.

He added that if the price asked by the owner of the land does not compare favorably with the appraisal made by a non-partisan committee, condemnation proceedings would be instigated, unless another more favorable site is offered.

Some of the sites were ruled out of the consideration, Stanley said, because they did not afford enough space. The board had originally stated that a piece of land of approximately three acres was desired. This would provide a parking lot for vehicles.

MULTIPLE PURPOSE

The proposed building would be constructed primarily as a substation for the sheriff's office but might also house the health office, office for the building inspector, library and other county services.

PAINTER FATALLY INJURED IN FALL AT STEEL MILL

An Oakland painter Monday lost his life at the Pacific States Steel Mill near Niles when he fell from a scaffold while working at the plant.

He was Chester Drafer, 24, Oakland, an employee of the George Dean contracting firm of Oakland.

Drafer was spray painting roof trusses in the new open hearth section of the plant when the accident occurred.

Working alone on the scaffold, Drafer had just hoisted himself up to the 55-foot perch following his lunch hour, when a large crane became entangled with a rope he had left dangling from his platform.

The crane jerked the platform out from under the painter and he fell the 55 feet. He was rushed to an Alameda Hospital in a Hayward ambulance but died approximately two hours later.

CHICAGO MINISTER OFFERED PASTORATE

The Rev. Alfred Paul Focht, 34, of Chicago, has been extended a call to the pastorate of the Niles Congregational Church.

The trustees of the church received the unanimous approval of the congregation to extend the call following last Sunday morning's service at which the Reverend Focht delivered the sermon. If he accepts the call it is expected that the Reverend Focht will come to Niles later this month to establish residence in the parsonage.

He is a graduate of the University of California and the Pacific School of Religion and at present is the pastor of the Forest Glen Congregational Church in Chicago. He came to California recently on a vacation visit with his family at Petaluma and his wife's family in San Francisco. The couple have two small children.

The vacancy in the pastorate of the local church was created last month by the resignation of the Rev. Don Kirkbride who has accepted a church on Bainbridge Island, Washington.

Niles Worker Wins First Acquittal in Mass Trials

Jesus M. Verra of Niles, one of 39 Niles steel mill workers charged with accepting illegal unemployment pay, has become the first of the 26 that have appeared in Hayward court to win an acquittal.

A jury deliberated but 45 minutes before returning the verdict of "not guilty." Verra was charged with accepting one $25 unemployment check while working at the Pacific States Steel plant.

To date, of the defendants represented by Edward R. Plotner, Oakland attorney, 21 have pleaded guilty and received jail sentences ranging from 15 days to six months; four have been found guilty by juries and received jail terms of from 100 to 180 days; two have been found guilty by court trial and one has been found not guilty by jury trial.

ONE PROBATION

Last Thursday six defendants changed their pleas to guilty and were given jail sentences ranging from 15 days to 40 days. Another was given a year's probation due to a current illness.

Changing their pleas to guilty were: William Angelsberg, Niles, who was sentenced to 15 days in jail; J. R. Inman, Hayward, 40 days; Jose Ojeda, Decoto, 40 days; Bonifacio Martinez, Niles, 20 days; and Francisco Valdez of Niles, 40 days.

Fidel Gonzales, Decoto, waived his rights for jury trial on Thursday and asked for court trial. He was found guilty by Judge Jacob Harder Jr. and sentenced to serve 25 days in the county jail.

Harder found Domingo Carabello of Mt. Eden guilty as charged, but placed him on a year's probation, due to the defendant's current illness.

12 MORE TRIALS

Twelve other defendants, represented by counsel other than Plotner, will appear in court between now and November 23 for jury trials.

All defendants are part of a group of former employees of the Pacific States Steel Corporation plant at Niles who were charged in September in a sectional crackdown on unemployment pay offenders. Officials of the state unemployment branch office in Hayward have reported that since the crackdown their disbursements have been reduced by 30 per cent.

GIRL SCOUTS NEED SITE FOR CAMP IN NILES CANYON

Part of the 9-acre site at the entrance to Niles Canyon could very well be used as a "day camp" for Girl Scouts, the Niles Chamber of Commerce learned Tuesday from Mrs. E. H. Lum, president of the Hayward Area Girl Scout Council.

She stated that 200 Girl Scouts in Washington Township — 90 of them in Niles—have no access to "day camps," where girls may go during the daytime for outdoor scouting activities and return home in the evening.

Mrs. Lum was accompanied by Scoutmaster Rae Lamoreux and Mrs. Gladys Williamson.

Interest of the Girl Scout leaders in the canyon entrance site follows recommendation of the Niles Chamber that the land, site of the historic Vallejo Mill, be acquired by the Alameda County Water District or the county Flood Control District for development as a park.

The water department of the City of San Francisco, owner of the land, has indicated willingness to sell it for use as a historical monument and public park.

W. D. Patterson, president of both the water and flood control district, has expressed interest in the project.

While the Niles Chamber felt that no specific committments could be made to the Girl Scouts before ownership of the land is transferred, the group did, however, endorse the project of a day camp in this locality.

FOUND UNCONSCIOUS

Ernest P. Marin, Centerville, was discovered unconscious alongside Cooks Road near Irvington last Friday evening and rushed to Fairmont Hospital in the Dallas Paul ambulance.

FORMER HOME OF REGISTER WILL BE USED CAR LOT

Purchase of the Niles building on First Street which for 40 years housed The Township Register, was announced this week by Louis and Caesar DiGiulio, owners of the American Garage.

The brothers plan to remove the building, constructed in 1909, and use the property as a used car lot. The lot is 60 feet in width and 105 feet deep.

The Register building originally stood opposite the Niles Theater, now occupied by the Candle-Light Cafe. At that time the highway into Niles passed behind the building and across the S. P. tracks. It was removed so that a service station could be built at the intersection.

Years later, the highway route was changed to continue down First Street and through the underpass by the P. C. Hansen Lumber Company. Opposite the Register building was the Essanay movie studio.

The building is now occupied by the Electric Motor and Armature Works.

Purchase of the property marks another step in expansion of the American Garage, which will open its remodeled and enlarged show rooms early in December. The DiGiulios have added 900 square feet to their garage building and have remodeled the exterior.

The brothers became Pontiac agents a year and a half ago.

MRS. MARY ALAMEDA LAID TO REST

Mrs. Mary Alameda, 77, Niles, succumbed in a San Jose hospital Monday following a brief illness.

She was the wife of the late Manuel Alameda; mother of Mrs. Mary Bothelo, Manuel Alameda, Mrs. Pauline Silva and Mrs. Agnes Lewis, all of Niles; Anthony Alameda of Thorington, Joseph Alameda of Oakland, Gabriel Alameda of Palo Alto, and William Alameda of Decoto.

Mrs. Alameda was a native of San Miguel, Azore Islands, and a member of the S.P.R.S.I. No. 79, of Niles.

Services were held at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday from the parlors of the Berge Mortuary Company, Niles, followed by a requiem high mass at Corpus Christi Church at 9 a.m. Interment was at Holy Ghost Cemetery.

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FLOWER CLASS OPENS

Use of flowers as a part of interior decoration of the home was the theme of the new class at the Washington Union High evening school taught by Rudolph Aguiar of San Jose State College, which began Wednesday of this week. The class is open to the public without charge and will meet in the cafeteria each Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. Particular emphasis will be placed on holiday decorations. Aguire is doing his student teaching at the local high school's art department and will received his degree from the college this year.

FIREMEN TO HOLD WHIST

The Centerville Fire Department will hold a public whist party at the local elementary school at 8 p.m. on November 17. Chairman of the affair is Jack De Luce.

WEDDING NOVEMBER 20

Maria P. Gonsalves and Manuel J. Medina will exchange wedding vows on November 29 at St. Isador's Church in Danville with Father Martin Egen performing the ceremony.

Miss Gonsalves is residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sylva of Centerville. Her fiance is the owner of a variety store in Danville.

Attendants for the wedding will include: Mrs. Larry Sylva, matron of honor; Mrs. Walter Xavier and Miss Jacqueline Silva, bridesmaids; Larry Sylva, best man; and Walter Xavier and Johnny Bettencourt, ushers.

A reception in the Veterans Memorial Building in Danville will follow the ceremony.

BUSY WEEK

Mrs. Martha Juhl of Oak Street visited with friends in Hayward Thursday of last week. Over the week-end she had as house guests Mrs. L. Adloff and nieces from San Carlos. The ladies had a most enjoyable time.

BABY GIRL FOR SALZMANS

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Salzman of Sid's Pharmacy are proud parents of a baby girl, born on Wednesday, November 3, at the Merritt Hospital in Oakland. The little Miss weighed 7 pounds and 10 ounces and was named Diane Lynn. The couple have two other children, both boys, who adore their baby sister. Mrs. Salzman and Diane returned home to their family last Saturday.

CONVALESCING

Ronald Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Miller of Baine Avenue, is convalescing at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Joe D. Duarte on Fremont Avenue. Ronald spent quite a few days in the hospital and must be confined to his bed for six weeks. We're hoping you get well soon.

ATTEND DANCE

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Joseph Street attended a dance in Mountain View on Saturday night. They had a wonderful time.

HOBBY SECTION TO 'ADOPT' A FAMILY

A decision to "adopt" a needy township family and to give this family a Christmas basket filled with groceries and clothes, was the project that the Hobby Section of the Country Club set for itself for December.

The suggestion was made by Mrs. E. M. Grimmer Jr. at the section's last meeting, Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. A. E. Alameda.

"Rather than exchange Christmas gifts among ourselves, let's each contribute money to buy something for some family in need," said Mrs. Grimmer.

The suggestion met instant approval of the group.

Serving as co-hostess with Mrs. Alameda at the supper meeting was Mrs. Stebler Loze. Guest of the evening was Mrs. Gladys Cronkhite Giles, who discussed her experiences in radio work.

LOCAL GIRL DELEGATE TO NURSES CONCLAVE

Miss Elizabeth King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed King of 158 Fremont Avenue, Centerville, and president of the student body at the San Jose Hospital School of Nursing, is one of the official delegates to the California State Nurses Association convention this week in San Francisco.

Miss King, together with Elaine Engleson and Joanne Wilson, represented the school at Student Day, which was featured by a luncheon in St. Francis Hotel. Students of the school selected their own delegates.

SAFETY AWARDS TO PEERLESS DRIVERS

Twenty-six drivers for the Peerless Bus Lines were honored at a dinner at the International Kitchen last Thursday evening when they received Green Cross Safe Driving awards.

Harry Gaeta, president of the bus line which operates throughout the Washington Township, was the host for the evening to the award-winning drivers, officers of the company, Green Cross officials, representatives of the Board of Supervisors and sheriff's office and local newspapers.

All of the drivers receiving the awards had driven more than 30,000 accident-free miles for the company. Fourteen of the bus drivers had exceeded 100,000 miles without an accident and two men had gone over the 225,000 mile mark.

Leading the list of safe drivers was Walter Ferini who has received eight Green Cross awards for driving 295,544 accident-free miles for the company.

PREPARE HOLIDAY PUDDINGS NOW

Holidays puddings can be made now and put in the freezer ready for cooking. Home Advisor Maryetta W. Holman of the Agricultural Extension Service at Hayward, suggests the following recipe for steamed pudding that is guaranteed to produce compliments from the guests:

1 pkg. raisins
½ pkg. currants
1½ oz. candied orange peel cut fine
1½ oz. candied citron peel cut fine
¾ cup ground suet
½ tsp. salt
1 cup sugar
1 pint cider
1½ cup dry bread crumbs
⅛ tsp. allspice
⅛ tsp. ginger
⅛ tsp. nutmeg
⅛ tsp. cloves
½ tsp. cinnamon
2 tsp. baking powder
Flour enough to make stiff dough.

Sift together the spices and baking powder with some flour. Mix the suet, salt, sugar, and bread crumbs. Add the fruits, the cider, and the flour mixture containing the spices and baking powder, and add additional flour to make a stiff dough.

The pudding can now be put into the freezer to await the day of the dinner, or can be cooked immediately. Steam for four hours. Serve with hard sauce.

NILES P.T.A. REPORTS SUCCESS OF DANCE

The Niles P.T.A. netted $50 from their Halloween dance, according to a report made at the regular P.T.A. meeting last Tuesday.

The P.T.A. is grateful to the local merchants who contributed so generously, and also grateful to Mrs. Margaret Gemignani, whose orchestra supplied the music for dancing.

Say you saw it in The Register.

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THE YOUNGER SET

PATRICIA ANN GOMES

—Stinhilver Photo

Two-year-old Patricia Ann Gomes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Gomes of Niles, is, perhaps, the youngest grocery store clerk in the whole township.

You see, Patricia's daddy owns a store, Roy's Market, and Patricia just naturally "takes" to the grocery business and loves to assist her daddy and mother in waiting on the trade. The fact that there is candy among other supplies, has, of course, no bearing on her interest in the grocery business—not much!

Her mother says that Patricia has been walking and talking since she was ten months old, and does both without a let-up, which indicates that she is a very busy little lady.

Patricia Ann's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Manuel F. Silva, Mrs. Rose Harvey, and Mr. Manuel Gomes, all of Niles.

DIES AT HOME OF DAUGHTER IN NILES

Mrs. Virginia Lee Steele of San Francisco died Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Blacow, in Niles.

Funeral services were conducted from the parlors of the Carew and English Funeral Parlors in San Francisco Thursday at 1:30 p.m.

In addition to the daughter here, Mrs. Steele is survived by two sons, Walter W. Steele of Sutter Creek, and Elmo Steele of San Francisco; two sisters, Mrs. Eva Stealey and Mrs. Milton Wilder, and a brother, Harry Hawes.

Use of mineral pigments and natural colored materials dates back to ancient and primitive man, as found in their works of art and colored drawings preserved in caves.

AUTO CRASHES INTO HOUSE IN DECOTO

Eulalio Marin, 26, Niles, suffered minor injuries Sunday evening in an auto accident at Fifth Street and Whipple Road in Decoto. Officers reported that Marin apparently lost control of his machine and it plowed up two front lawns, overturned and rammed into the home of John Forkner at 515 Whipple Road. Damage to the house was estimated at $1,000.

Marin was taken to Fairmont Hospital in the Dallas Paul ambulance.

UNDERGOES SURGERY

Ed Haynes, owner and operator of the Township Cleaners, Irvington, underwent surgery in San Jose Hospital Wednesday. His condition is reported to be satisfactory and he is expected to return home in about a week.

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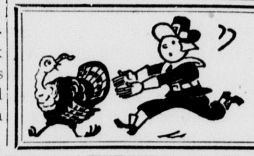

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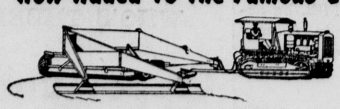

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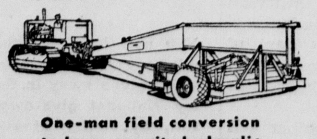

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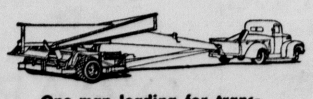

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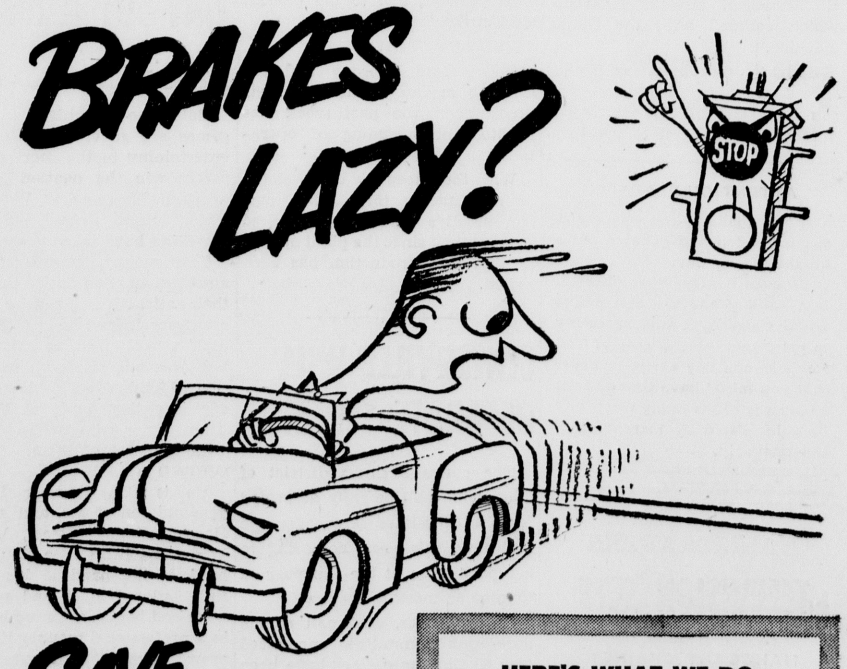

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DAY BY DAY IN DECOTO

By GRACE CAMINADA

Grace Caminada

NEW DECOTO RESIDENTS

A hearty welcome and wishes for success to Mr. John Murdock Jr. and Sr., with their respective wives, who are now operating the Decoto Service Station owned by P. J. Faletti.

SEE STOCK SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. "Dutchie" Re attended the show at the Cow Palace several Saturdays ago. Last Thursday night Mrs. Re and her father, Frank Pimentel, attended the show again. Frank met his friend with whom he once drove teams during the war years.

THANKS TO ALL

Credit last week was given only to Mrs. L. J. Fine and Mrs. E. Peixotto of the P.T.A. who helped in the T.B. survey. Although I thanked all members, it was not stated, in last week's article, that way. I'm sorry, but thanks to all those who helped.

BABY SHOWER

A baby shower was given last Saturday night honoring Mrs. Edward Fantuzzi of Alviso by Mrs. Tina Fantuzzi and Mrs. L. Ghigo. at the home of the latter in Niles.

The table was beautifully decorated with three large bowls of rose buds. At each place setting there was a miniature basket of pink and blue. Next to the honoree's chair stood a baby high-chair, which was a gift, with a large doll. After the delicious refreshments, Mrs. Fantuzzi opened her lovely gifts.

The menfolks in the meantime were entertaining themselves at the home of Frank Alessandri next door. Later in the evening they joined the party and Italian folk dancing and games took place.

Accordion solo selections were played by Bruno Orsetti and Mr. Orochi.

Those present and having a wonderful time were: Mrs. Lydia Orsetti, Mr. and Mrs. Utile, Mr. and Mrs. Orochi and children, Mr. and Mrs. Pacifico Raviolo, Mr. and Mrs. Fantuzzi, Mrs. Nanda Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Ratto, Frank Alessandri, Mr. and Mrs. Sacci, Mr. and Mrs. Lauro Ghigo, Mr. and Mrs. Italo Orsetti, Mr. and Mrs. Amengo Orsetti, Mrs. Mary Orsetti, Mr. and Mrs. Giovanni Orsetti and son Bruno, Mrs. C. Bassignani and daughter Eva, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Birite, Mr. and Mrs. Mariani, Mrs. Lee Silva, Mrs. Rinaldo Caminada and daughter Diane Rae, the honoree and her husband.

BIRTHDAY

Birthday wishes to Mr. Ettore Caminada who celebrates his birthday today (Friday). Happy birthday.

SEE FESTIVAL

I, your reporter, together with my family, was happy to be one of the lucky ones to see the Festival of Nations presented at the Oakland Auditorium last Sunday. It was really a lovely show and I myself could not express the words to do such a show any justice. Glad to see some of you Decoto people also were able to make it.

CAR DAMAGES HOUSE

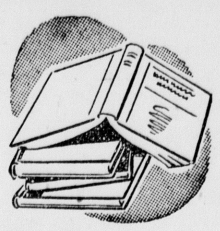
The home of John Forkner of Whipple Road was damaged about $1000 last Sunday when Eulaio Marin of Niles lost control of his car, plowed up two front lawns, overturned once, then rammed into the Forkner home. Marin was treated at the Fairmont Hospital for head injuries.

MOTHER PASSES

Sympathy is expressed to Bill Alameda on the loss of his mother last week-end. Also to Mr. Tony Amaral on the loss of his sister, Mrs. Mary S. Lemos.

HIGH SCHOOL RODEO

Mr. James Fine, scoutmaster, will assist in the annual Boy Scout Rodeo for the Washington Township's five troops at the high school in Centerville at 8 p.m., Nov. 15. The troops will compete for the township trophy to be awarded to the group with the most points in the scout crafts and achievement competition; the attendance pennant to be awarded for the troop registering the most visitors at the rally, and pennants for first, second and third places in the rodeo events.



At the LIBRARY

By ELAINE HOWE

Last month the papers headlined "National Employ the Physically Handicapped Week." We know that in our absorption with America's favorite toy and killer—the automobile—thousands are crippled annually. Other thousands suffer from chronic arthritis, heart disease, tuberculosis, while others live without sight or hearing and some without arms or legs.

Rehabilitation is a wonderful word and its practice with our handicapped people has opened up whole new vistas of opportunity. No one wants so desperately as the physically handicapped human to live and work normally without having to accept favors or pity from anyone.

Howard Rusk and Eugene Taylor have written a practical and encouraging book called "New Hope for the Handicapped," the rehabilitation of the disabled from bed to job. Both men are professors in the New York University School of Medicine in the Department of Rehabilitation and Physical Medicine, and they know whereof they speak.

The war with its horrible train of shattered men gave impetus to the work now going forward all over the country to reeducate and equip the handicapped person to earn a living and maintain his personal integrity. Records show that disabled workers often set the pace in efficiency and morale. The problem does not concern only war-wounded veterans. Before World War II there were 23 million people handicapped to some extent in our United States. These two doctors illustrate what can be and has been done with case after case—some dramatic, others not so exciting except as human triumph over suffering and defeat is always exciting.

To me it's an inspiration to read of the great strides that have been made in making useful happy citizens out of people who a generation ago would have been helpless, hopeless, dreary creatures doomed to four blank walls. If you have a handicap, or know someone who has, this book is like a shot of adrenalin and will give new hope—it can be done.

BROUN ELECTED HEAD OF CHURCH BOARD

At the first meeting of the newly elected Board of Trustees of the Niles Congregational Church, held Monday evening at the home of Paul Offel, LeRoy Broun was named chairman, succeeding Will Lamoreux.

Other members of the board are Paul Offel, Bain Leask, Mrs. Helen Ford and Fred Duffie.

Duffie was reelected secretary of the board. The group meets the first Monday night of each month.

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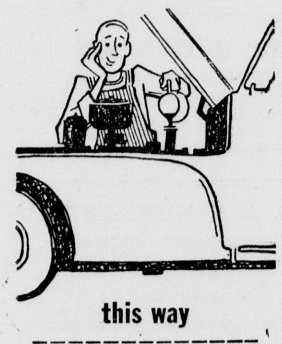

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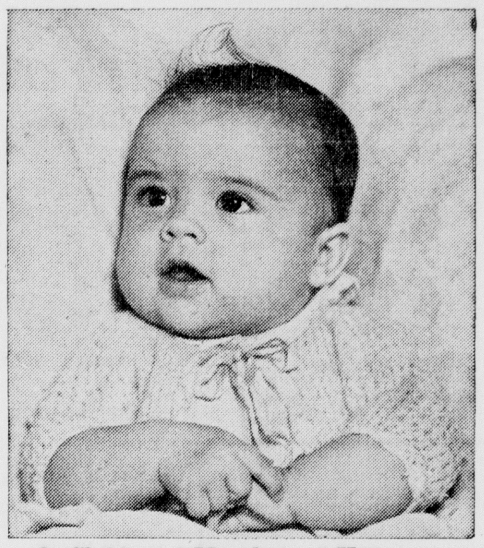

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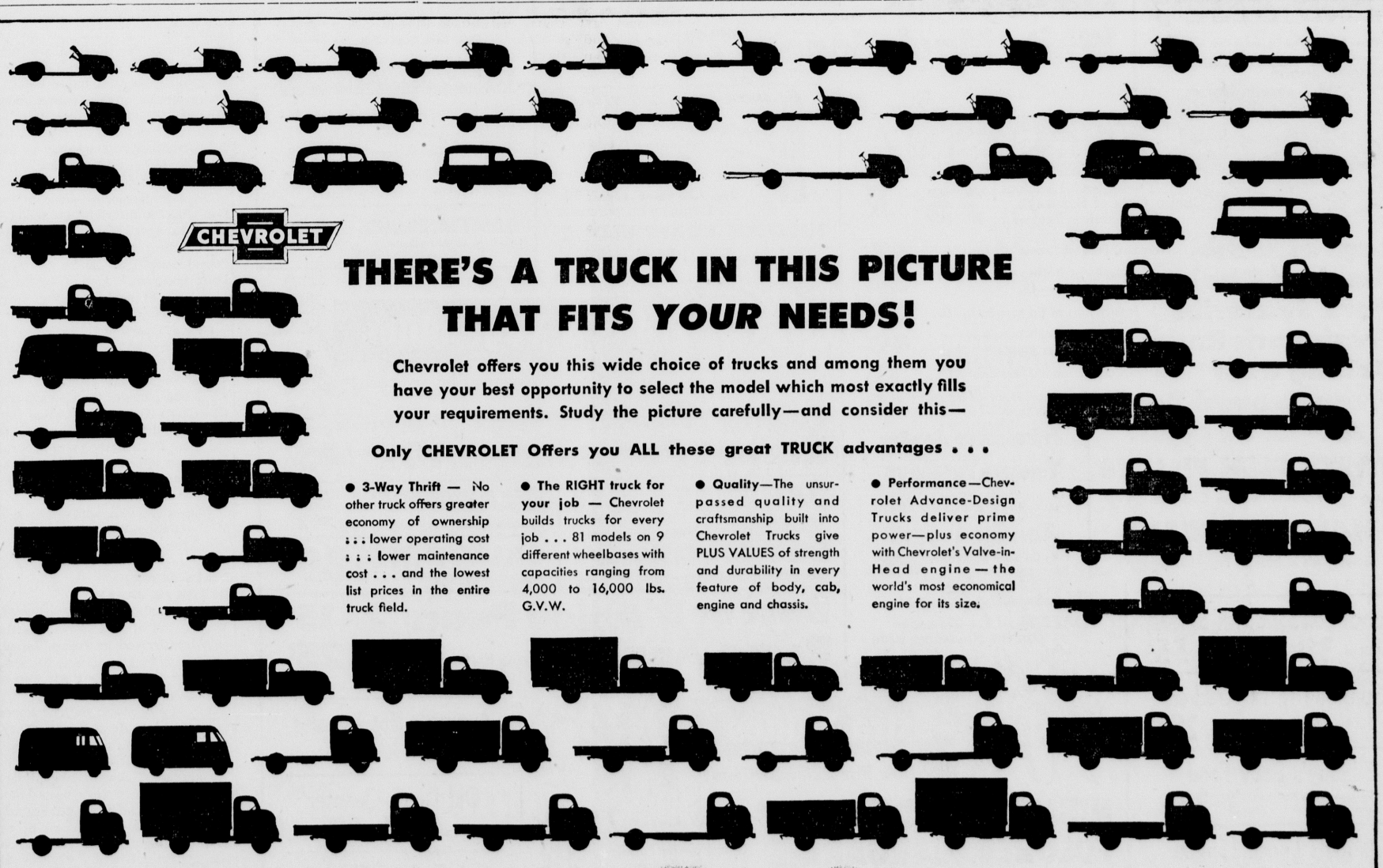

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Thinking Things Over . . .

By VIVIAN BATMAN

THINKING THINGS OVER—

I must write a column, some kind of a column . . . Goodness, what shall I write about? . . . But how can I write about anything at all with this poison-oak itching so badly? . . . I could write about dogs again. . . . No, I'd better not. I get into trouble when I write about dogs. . . . I could write about the boys again. . . . But they get mad when I write about them. . . . I could write about schools. . . No, ditto. . . . Le's see, what SHALL I write about. . . . Oh, I wish this poison oak would stop itching. . . . I can't think. . . .

Let's see, I could write about neighborhood intrigue. . . . But that wouldn't do, either. I'd probably get shot, and that would be worse than poison-oak. . . . Oh, I WISH this poison-oak would stop itching, so I could THINK. . . . Let's see, what shall I cook for dinner? . . . Hamburgers? No, we had that last night. . . . I'll have a cold dinner, then I won't have to stand over the stove and get this poison-oak to itching again. . . . Why, oh why, did I ever go up to Stoneybrook to get those flagstones? . . . Just because they were free. . . . Serves me right, trying to get something for nothing. . . . All I get is a case of poison-oak. . . . Let's see, that last man who was in here said I should try kerosene . . . the one before him said I should try Epsom salts . . . and the one before him said I should try Clorox . . . M'mm, think I'll go home and drink them all . . . But first I MUST write this column . . .

I hope that picture of George Bonde Jr. and his bride comes out all right in the paper. . . . They certainly look happy . . . But anybody who doesn't have poison-oak ought to look happy. . . . Now look at that man over there trying to get into The Florence—doesn't he know it's election day? . . . Maybe I should go over and tell him. . . . No, I'd better mind my own business. . . . But that reminds me, somebody said I should take a shot for my poison-oak . . . M'mm . . . wonder what kind of a shot he meant? . . .

But now I must get on with a column . . . the readers probably are itching for something sane, witty, stimulating . . . but they'll just have to go ahead itching . . . just as I am.

WARM SPRINGS SCHOOL NEWS

Well, it looks as though that day full of fun and surprises is over. Many of the children from the school went trick or treating on Halloween Night. Mrs. Neidt's room gave a program of songs and surprises. Some of the eighth grade girls held a Hobo Jamboree amateur program and the sixth, seventh and eighth graders put on singing acts and skits.

The students enjoyed a puppet show given last week by the Good Teeth Council. As a result most of the students have changed their minds about dentists.

SPORTS (by Harry Avila)

The football team won over Sunol 18-6 last week, getting even for the loss to Mission San Jose the week before. The scoring started in the first period when Sunol scored its only touchdown. The second quarter found Warm Springs leading 12 to 6. The local team added another touchdown in the last period.

Sell it with a Register Want Ad!

MR. AND MRS. ALBERT J. ROSENGA, Jr., whose wedding recently took place at Corpus Christi Church in Niles. The bride is the former Loretta Lewis. The couple is living in San Leandro.

DECOTO DISCUSSION GROUP VISITS HAYWARD ART SHOW

By ETHEL AVILLA

The Decoto Discussion Group was entertained with a most delicious luncheon last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Katherine Zaddow in San Leandro. Mrs. Howard Bradbury, co-hostess, came down from her new home in Auburn for the day.

In the afternoon the group viewed the fourth annual art exhibit at the Will Frates-Elmer Stanhope studio in Hayward. On display were oils, water colors, pencil sketches and sculptured work.

Not only the paintings, but the entire studio, floral arrangements, fish pool and terraced garden with its brilliant array of fall blossoms, reflected the artistic touch.

It was a most enjoyable afternoon, especially for those of the group who had not visited the studio before.

Mrs. Elizabeth H. Sloan and Mrs. Al Costa will be hostesses to the group next month. The luncheon will be held at the Hidden Valley Inn, then the group will go to Mrs. Sloan's home to discuss Fulton Ousler's "The Greatest Story Ever Told." Mrs. Edward Mara is the leader.

'SCANDALS' COMING TO SAN JOSE SOON

Yehudi Menuhin, the idol of Europe, where his concert in Paris scheduled for next March is already completely sold out, plays in the auditorium, San Jose, on next Friday night, November 18. His program includes the "Spring" Sonata, Beethoven; Chaconne, Bach; Concerto No. 1, D Major, Paganini; Habanera, Sarasate; Habanera, Ravel; Scherzo Tarantelle, Wienlawski.

The George White Scandals, absent from the coast for several years, have returned with a 1950 "super" version of song, dance, and gorgeous girls, the latter being a characteristic of this famous show. Arthur (Dagwood) and Patricia Lake are featured artists of the large company. They play in San Jose on Sunday night, Nov. 27.

The Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo gives a single performance in the San Jose Auditorium on Monday night, Nov. 28. "Swan Lake," "The Mute Wife," a "Pas de Duex," and "Graduation Ball" make the brilliant program. Alexandra Danilova and Frederic Franklin head the Company of 100.

Grand Opera will be given in San Jose by the Pacific Opera Company in a performance of "La Tosca" on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 4. Selma Kaye of the Chicago and Cincinnati Opera Companies will sing the title role. Members of the San Francisco Opera Chorus make the chorus, and the orchestra is formed from the San Francisco Symphony.

Tickets for all events are on sale at the Denny-Watrous box office, San Jose auditorium.

NILES SERGEANT IN TOKYO, JAPAN

Technical Sergeant Chester M. Marlin, son of Mrs. A. G. Marlin of Niles, arrived in Tokyo, Japan, on November 1 to assume his new duties in the Far East Air Forces Headquarters.

Sgt. Marlin states that he hopes to have his wife and son, Gary, aged 4, join him in the near future. The young former resident of Washington Township should feel right at home in the cherry blossomed land as he is hopeful of finding housing accomodations in an 850 unit area called Washington Heights.

Say you saw it In The Register.

FINAL RITES FOR MRS. MARY LEMOS

Final rites were held in Centerville on Wednesday for Mrs. Mary S. Lemos of Centerville who died Sunday in a Hayward hospital.

Mrs. Lemos, a native of Fayal, Azores Islands, was a member of the U.P.P.E.C. Council No. 19 and S.P.R.S.I. Council No. 4, both of Centerville.

She was the mother of Manuel J. Lemos of Centerville and Serafine A. Lemos of Hayward and sister of Antone Amaral of Decoto.

Services were held from the parlors of the Chapel of the Palms, Centerville, at 9 a.m., followed by a requiem mass at Holy Ghost Church. Interment was at Holy Ghost Cemetery.

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FORMER NILES GIRL WEDS MARINE CORPS CAPTAIN AT SAN LUIS OBISPO

Miss Ilene Wittenmyer, formerly of Niles, was married last Friday evening, November 4, to Capt. John Finn Jr., USMC. The ceremony was performed by Judge A. E. Roberts in San Luis Obispo at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Kenneth E. Young (Mae Wittenmyer), also formerly of Niles.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Mae Wittenmyer, who now lives in Alameda. Miss Wittenmyer attended Niles Grammar School and Washington Union High School. She graduated from Alameda High School and was attending San Francisco State College before her marriage. She is a member of the Toyon Branch of the Children's Hospital of the East Bay.

At her wedding the bride wore a beige gabardine suit with matching hat and brown accessories. A corsage of orchids completed her ensemble. Her sister was matron of honor, and her brother-in-law served as best man.

The newlyweds now are honeymooning in Southern California. They plan to make their home in San Diego, where Capt. Finn will resume his duties at Camp Pendleton, and Mrs. Finn will attend San Diego State College.

DOROTHY ALBERT HONORED AT BRIDAL SHOWER: TO BE MARRIED DECEMBER 4

She received a card inviting her to an anniversary party, but when she arrived at the scene of the party—the Moreland School in Campbell — Miss Dorothy Albert found that she herself was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous bridal shower!

About 50 of her friends and relatives were present to felicitate her on her approaching marriage to Charles De Rose of Campbell. She has set the date for December 4, at St. Joseph's Church in Mission San Jose.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Albert of Irvington, the bride-elect graduated from Washington High in 1948. Her husband-to-be works as a farmer for his father, Mr. James De Rose of Campbell.

At the shower, in addition to the welter of gifts she received, Dorothy was also presented with a baby-orchid and bouvardia corsage. The members of her wedding party, Beatrice Albert (maid of honor), Mary Anne De Rose, Lorraine Albert, and Ernestine Silva, were all presented with French bouquets.

Hostesses for the affair were Dorothy's fiance's mother, Mrs. De Rose, and her fiance's sisters, Mary Anne and Dolly.

Birthday Fun

Shirley Pine of Niles celebrated her fourteenth birthday last Thursday by giving a party at her home.

The young people enjoyed the traditional birthday cake, ice cream and soda pop, as well as the games and dancing that comprised the evening's entertainment.

Among the guests were Shirley Caldwell, Barbara Talley, Betty Sue Barker, Annette Rebagliati, Harriet Andrade, Beverly Andrade, Danny Davis, Ronnie Westray, Jimmy Murphy, Billy Cavanaugh, Bobby Hird, Gary Andrade, Johnny Garcia and Georgie Mendoza.

Daughter for Baptist Pastor

On Wednesday, November 2, a baby girl, Kirsten Victoria, was born at Peralta Hospital in Oakland to Mrs. William F. Hunter, wife of the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Niles. The young lady, the first child for the Reverend and Mrs. Hunter, weighed 8 pounds 1 ounce.

Anniversary Party

Mrs. Clyde Voorhees of Centerville was hostess at a dinner party last week-end in honor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Whitfield, who were celebrating their thirty-seventh wedding anniversary. Eighteen guests were present.

In Los Angeles

Mrs. H. C. McMahan of Niles is in Los Angeles visiting relatives. She drove down with her sister and son, and expects to return the latter part of this week.

To Los Angeles

Mrs. Myra Burnsed of Irvington left Saturday for Los Angeles to spend two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Jones.

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MR. AND MRS. GEORGE BONDE JR. (Charlotte Geary) as they leave Grace Cathedral chapel following their Saturday afternoon nuptials. They will make their home in Centerville.

—Photo by San Francisco Examiner.

Mrs. Gene Schaal Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. Gene Schaal (Yvonne Young) was the guest at a stork shower given last Thursday by Mrs. Jed Oxborrow and Miss Lorry Luchetti at the Oxborrow home in Niles.

Those invited included Katherine Viveiros, Harriet Dias, Mrs. Ramon Barnum, Dorothy Gronley, Mayle Maphet, Winifred Dias, Dolores Rose, Mrs. Marjorie Plummer, Mrs. Avis Chapman, Elizabeth Hernandez, Mrs. Doris Ward, Mrs. A. Gomes, Mrs. Virgil Young Jr., and the mother-to-be's mother, Mrs. Virgil Young, and mother-in-law, Mrs. Schaal of Albany.

A Baby Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Damas of Santos Avenue are announcing the birth of a girl—and with considerable pride, for they have two boys, and a baby daughter in the family is something pretty special indeed.

The little lady, named Rosemary, weighing six pounds and 14 ounces when she was born at San Jose Hospital on October 31.

Plastic Party

Mrs. Paul Baker was hostess at a "plastic party" at her Irvington home last Wednesday evening. Those invited to the affair included Mmes. Joe Clark, J. C. Baker, Bill Bohannon, Mary Silva, Adeline Harvey, Jacob Cook and Eula Cook.

New Residents

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKiernan and three children arrived from Chicago this week to take up residence in the house in Canyon Heights formerly occupied by Walter Chrysler.

Mr. McKiernan is a brother of Mr. Jim McKiernan, also of Canyon Heights.

Ground was broken for the world's first cable street railway in San Francisco on June 2, 1873.

GEORGE BONDE JR. WEDS SAN FRANCISCAN; WILL BRING BRIDE TO CENTERVILLE HOME

Honeymooning at an unknown destination this week are Mr. and Mrs. George Bonde Jr., who were married in the Chapel of Grace Cathedral in San Francisco last Saturday afternoon. The Rev. W. R. H. Hodgkin officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, Ernest Geary, selected for her wedding gown the traditional white satin, styled with long sleeves, with seed pearls trimming the heartshaped neckline and train. Her fingertip length veil of French illusion was held with a Juliet cap of the same material. She carried a shower bouquet of white butterfly orchids and bouvardia.

Mrs. Donald Barry was her sister's matron of honor and Mrs. Thomas Whitaker was the secondary attendant. Both wore red taffeta frocks, designed with square necklines, short sleeves, and tight-fitting bodice. They carried white chrysanthemums and wore a small crown of the same on their heads.

Kenneth Cooper was best man and ushers were Louis Havey, Bill Wagstaffe and John Geary.

The newlyweds received their many friends from both sides of the bay in front of the fireplace at the Geary home on Clay Street. The fireplace was decorated with arrangements of white stock and snapdragons and magnolia leaves.

After their two weeks' honeymoon they will return to take up residence in their new home in Centerville.

Store Manager Moves to Niles

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Osterholt and children have moved to Niles and are occupying the former Murphy house on Second and G that is now owned by Peter Quartaroli.

The Osterholts formerly lived in Oakland. Mr. Osterholt has been manager of the Safeway Store in Centerville since December of 1948.

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Birthday Party for Jeanette Hudson

Jeanette Hudson of Niles celebrated her third birthday on Thursday, November 3, at a party given for her by her mother, Mrs. Joe Hudson at their home. Jeanette was very happy over the many gifts brought by her friends and her friends in turn were very happy over the party games and the eye-catching popcorn balls, birthday cake and ice cream.

Those attending the party were Gaye Comfort, Gene Olson, Carol Ross, Betty, Ronald and Gary Marsh, Scherry and Marsha Sutton and Allan Quartaroli.

Some of the elders who also enjoyed the festive occasion were Jeanette's grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Milburn, Mrs. Helen Olson, Mrs. James Sutton, Mrs. Keith Comfort, Mrs. Thelma Marsh, Mrs. Marie Quartaroli, Mrs. Mary Ross, Mrs. Kate Rose and Aunt Julia.

On the Move

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Cole and three children who have been living in a house in Canyon Heights, have rented the Rosenquist home, recently purchased by Mrs. James Whipple, who lives just oppoosite the place.

The Coles are planning to move next week.

There were 448,838,000 live chickens in the United States on January 1, 1949.

WEDDING IN THE OFFING—for Norma Biale, who will be married to Harold Burns on December 19 at Corpus Christi Church in Niles.

Bridge Supper

Mrs. Clark Redeker of Newark was hostess at a supper and bridge party last Thursday evening. Those present included Mmes. Peggy Cimino, Vera Taylor, Gretchen Butze, Mildred Foster, Jacquie Berg, Millie Brown, and Katherine Moran.

Visits Sister

Mr. and Mrs. John Cattaneo of Niles motored up to Vallejo last week-end to visit his sister, Mrs. Langon Powers (Molly Cattaneo) who had just come home from the hospital after being confined for three weeks.

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MISSION TEAM WINS FOOTBALL CROWN

The Mission San Jose football team, the only undefeated squad in the B League of the Washington Township Elementary School Conference, was this week declared the winners of the league crown.

Nathan E. Click, principal of the Mission school, said this week that his team will meet Warm Springs this Friday but the outcome will not effect Mission's top-place standing. All other teams in the league have suffered two or more defeats.

Members of the championship team are: Stanley Caires, Dewayne Hill, Fred Umimoto, Larry Garcia, Jesse McGowan, Donald Pettes, David Koelsch.

Thorval Johnson, Robert Caires, James Hill and Charles Neeley.

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NILES SPORTSMEN WILL INSTALL

Newly elected officers of the Niles Sportsmen's Club will be installed at a dinner meeting to be held the evening of December 3 at the International Kitchen, according to C. A. Musgrove, chairman of the installation ceremonies.

Joe Pine will become chairman of the organization, succeeding E. H. Frick.

Other officers to be installed are: Reginald Calhoun, vice-chairman; Joseph Dooley, treasurer; L. L. Lewis, secretary; C. Pine, sergeant-at-arms; C. A. Musgrove, Joe Rose and Karl Kaiser, board of directors.

LUCK FOR BASS ANGLERS

Striped bass anglers have been having first-rate luck lately along the San Joaquin, Sacramento and False Rivers in the Contra Costa County area. They have taken many large fish.

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SPORTS

HUSKIES IN EASY WIN OVER TECH; MT. VIEW NEXT

The Washington Huskies boosted their S.C.V.A.L. standings to 500 per cent last Friday evening in an easy 46-20 win over much-defeated San Jose Tech.

The Huskies, showing marked improvement in each week's tussle, ran up 14 points in the first five minutes, with Pagan crashing over for the first tally and Guerra intercepting a Craftsmen pass and galloping to the goal line where a plunge on the following play was good. Salvador booted the first conversion but the placement was partially blocked on the second try.

SCORE AS HALF ENDS

In the opening minutes of the second quarter Bettencourt scooted 60 yards for another six points a quick-opening spinner play off center. Salvador's boot was good for the extra point.

Midway in the second quarter Pat Francis tucked the pigskin under his arm and tore around end for 40 yards and another six points. Salvador added another point with his toe.

Galvan snagged Bettencourt's pass in the end zone as the gun sounded, ending the first half. The boot for extra point was blocked and the half-time score stood at 33 to 7.

ENTIRE SQUAD IN ACTION

Coaches Jud Taylor and Clyde Voohees used everyone on the bench in the second half but the Huskies went on to add 13 more points with Jack Bribes and Bettencourt scoring touchdowns.

Tech's two second-period scores came by way of an aerial attack with Boggini tossing to Ventimiglia and Maraso for the tallies.

SHUFFLEBOARD TEAM HOLDS BARBECUE

The Niles Shuffleboard team held a barbecue supper last Saturday in honor of Nancy and Kenny Ferry, who have been the team's best promoters.

Mrs. Gladys Crane was in charge of arrangements.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture's estimate of the 1949 apple production amounts to 132,126,000 bushels. That is one and one-half times as big as in 1948, and a full 20 per cent larger than for the last 10-year average.

Sportsmen's News

SALMON, STEELHEAD TAKEN

Many salmon and steelhead are being taken at present on the streams of Del Norte County. The average fish per person is very good.

DUCK HUNTING GOOD

Duck hunters have been enjoying some excellent shooting during the past week in the Madera County area. Many limits have been taken.

LIMITS OF MALLARDS

Many limits of mallards have been bagged during the past few days on clubs along the Auburn Ravine west of Lincoln to Placer County. Shooting has been fairly good for unattached hunters along canals and ditches in this same area.

SALMON FISHING GOOD

Salmon fishing has been good lately along the Sacramento River in the vicinity of Sacramento, Sacramento County. Many sizeable fish have been landed.

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NAPA
No. 8354
NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE

IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF THE PERSON AND ESTATE OF ROSALIE DONOVAN, an Incompetent Person.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that PAUL DONOVAN, as Guardian of the Person and Estate of ROSALIE DONOVAN, an Incompetent person, will sell at private sale, to the highest and best bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on the 26th day of November, 1949, at the hour of ten o'clock A.M. or thereafter, within the time allowed by law, at the office of Rutherford and Rutherford, Attorneys at Law, 1130 First Street, Napa, California, all the right, title, interest and estate of said Incompetent Person in and to all that certain real property situate in the Township of Washington, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

A PORTION of that certain 10.25 acre parcel of land firstly described in the Decree of Distribution made on December 16, 1930 by the Superior Court of Alameda County, in the matter of the estate of George L. Donovan, deceased, to Rosalie Donovan, Probate No. 48642, a certified copy of which was recorded December 16, 1930 in book 2511 of Official Records of Alameda County, page 140, bounded as follows:

BEGINNING at the point of intersection of the Southeastern line of Fremont Avenue, with the Southwestern line of Overacker Avenue, formerly known as public road leading from Niles to Mission San Jose; running thence along the said line of Overacker Avenue, South 42 degrees 35 minutes East 338.06 feet more or less, to a point distant thereon South 42 degrees 35 minutes East 80.00 feet from the intersection thereof with the Southeastern boundary line of that certain parcel of land described in deed from Perry Morrison to Thomas Bedard, dated February 8, 1877 and recorded April 16, 1877 in book 138 of Deeds, at page 386, Alameda County Records, said last mentioned point being the ACTUAL POINT OF COMMENCEMENT; running thence along the said line of Overacker Avenue, South 42 degrees 35 minutes East 434.14 feet to a point on the Southeastern boundary line of the said 10.25 acre parcel of land; thence along the said last mentioned line, South 54 degrees 45 minutes West 846.03 feet to the most Southern corner of the said 10.25 acre parcel of land; thence along the Southwestern boundary line thereof, North 42 degrees 30 minutes West 514.14 feet to a point on the said Bedard Southeastern boundary line; thence along the said last mentioned line, North 54 degrees 45 minutes East 626.78 feet to a point distant thereon South 54 degrees 45 minutes West 220.00 feet from the intersection thereof with the said Southwestern line of Overacker Avenue; thence South 42 degrees 35 minutes East 80.00 feet; thence North 54 degrees 45 minutes East 220.00 feet to the ACTUAL POINT OF COMMENCEMENT.

Said sale will be made upon the following terms:

Cash, lawful money of the United States. Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid at the time of acceptance of the amount of any bid or offer, balance on confirmation of sale by the Court. Deed and title insurance at expense of purchaser. Purchaser to assume the payment of and to take the property subject to all state and county taxes and assessments whatsoever.

Bids or offers are invited for said parcel of real property and must be in writing and will be received at the law offices of RUTHERFORD AND RUTHERFORD, Room 206, Gordon Building, 1130 First Street, Napa, California, attorneys for said Guardian; or may be filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Napa, or delivered to said Guardian personally at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of said sale.

PAUL DONOVAN
Guardian of the person and estate of Rosalie Donovan, an Incompetent Person.

RUTHERFORD AND RUTHERFORD
Gordon Building
Napa, California
Attorneys for Guardian. N11,18,25

GROUND GAINER . . . Joe Orocchi, high-scoring "scat" back for the Washington Puppies, league-leading lightweight squad, was caught by the cameraman last Friday night as he broke through the Livermore line for a gain of eight yards. Bill Brown (No 3) and George Howard (9) teamed up for the tackle. A violation of rules is also noted in the picture with Laws and Maestas, Livermore linemen (left) both wearing number 14 jerseys. —Register Photo

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

November 9, 1949

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Subject to issuance of the license applied for, and commencing not less than 15 days after the date posted, notice is hereby given that the undersigned propose to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises described as follows:

State Highway and County Road, Decoto, Alameda County, California.

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned are applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance by transfer of an alcoholic beverage license for these premises as follows:

On Sale Beer and Wine.

Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

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DOMINGOS M. SILVA, 185 Mission Street, Irvington, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 4th day of November, 1949.

DOMINGOS M. SILVA

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

ON THIS 4th day of November in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and forty-nine, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared DOMINGOS M. SILVA known to me to be the person described in and whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California.
(SEAL) N11,18,25,D2,9

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

November 4, 1949

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:

425 Main Street, Niles.

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance on original application of an alcoholic beverage license (or licenses) for these premises as follows:

On Sale Beer.

Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license(s) may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are not now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

LOUIS J. HUNT
WESLEY DEA
45c

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 108987 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of JOHN HEGER, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: October 20, 1949.

SIMON SCHUSTER
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney at Law
Niles, California. O21,28,N4,11

CERTIFICATE OF INDIVIDUAL DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

No. 16292

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

I, Melvin T. Duffey, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am transacting business at 760 First Street, Niles, County of Alameda, State of California, under the fictitious name of Duffey Bros. Repair Shop; that I am the only person having any interest in said business, and that the place of my residence is hereinafter set forth following my signture hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 26th day of October, 1949.

MELVIN T. DUFFEY
230 H Street
Niles, California.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

On this 26th day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and Forty-nine, before me, Leo J. DeCaen, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Melvin T. Duffey, known to me to be the person described in and whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

LEO J. DeCAEN
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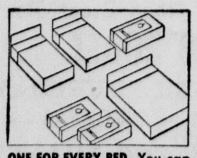

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COMPLAINT DEPARTMENT

"The Niles firehouse is a disgrace to the town," a man told us this week, "and you ought to do something about it in the paper."

"What should we do?" we asked.

"Raise the devil with the fire commissioners until they do something about building a new firehouse! Our firehouse is the worst one in the township!"

This man is partly right: We do need a new firehouse in Niles to replace the small, outdated shanty we now have.

But the fire commissioners are aware of this need and have tried hard—without success—to acquire property from the Southern Pacific Company so that an adequate firehouse could be built in the same location.

Quite probably they will have to consider another site, since the railroad company seems determined not to part with any of its property on First Street. However, the commissioners have been working on the problem.

We think the matter is in capable hands and that an adequate firehouse will be built for Niles when, in the good business judgment of the commissioners, the proper site can be obtained on which to build one.

* * *

"Why is it," a Niles business man practically shouted at us not long ago, "why is it that some business men leave their cars parked all day in front of their neighbors' stores instead of in front of their own stores?"

"Selfishness," we said. "Human nature. Why?"

"Well, somebody ought to do something about it," he said.

"Who?"

"Well—the Chamber of Commerce."

"You belong to the Chamber of Commerce?" we asked.

"Pay my dues every year," he said. "Have for years."

"How often do you go to the meetings?"

"I'm too busy on Tuesdays."

We dropped the subject, hoping he'd realize that he'd answered his own question.

* * *

The reason we have recounted these two incidents is that they are repeated constantly in varying forms. Nearly everybody in our little community complains about something and blames someone for it.

It is good to see civic-consciousness that makes our townspeople aware of things needed to be done in our town.

It's a good thing to remember that you're as much a part of the community as anyone else. Don't blame anyone else for anything. If you're itching for something to be done, don't holler. Scratch.

ARMISTICE DAY

Well done they said, the battle for freedom is won. Thus a grateful nation marked that first Armistice Day November 11, 1918.

But the battle for freedom wasn't won, nor will it ever be won unless a vigilant America has learned the lesson of the past and stands firm against future encroachment. For World War II was also fought for freedom and other wars can surely follow.

Only an alert nation which treasures its freedom, which fights for its freedom daily, can ever celebrate an Armistice Day commemorating the end of war. For the danger is not so great that freedom will be snatched from America by foreign aggressors, as it is that the people will lose their freedom without ever knowing it—to the very government on which they depend for protection from outside invasion.

America could well remember that freedom is not a heritage to be maintained without cost. It is a way of life which every conscientious citizen must constantly uphold and champion.

ROADSIDE PICNICS

(Reprinted from the San Francico Examiner)

California has an extensive state and national park system that includes the noblest scenery to be found anywhere. The grandiose is honored and dignified and the famous recreation spots have ample provision made for the tourist.

But the state has failed to provide highway picnic places away from the large reserves.

California's highways pass through delightful country, in particular in the coast counties and along the Mother Lode. Much of this pleasant region lies within easy driving distance from San Francisco and the Bay Area.

But only in official state parks of national monuments are there comfortable picnic places along the highway.

"Other states have made provision for such recreational spots. Michigan has 3000 roadside picnic places, Ohio has 300, and Connecticut, that could be tucked away in two or three California counties, has 135 public picnic spots.

Some states place these spots on the borders of the highways. In some gifts have been made of small sites for picnicking. Federal law provides that a small part of the federal road fund shall be applied to this purpose.

The state is full of appropriate sites where tables and benches could be installed. Here is something for the state highway division and the state park commission to cooperate on in the interest of the people and their children.

The FARMERS CORNER

by RALPH H. TAYLOR
Executive Secretary Agricultural Council of California

Brushing aside the carefully built up myth of "security" which is being foisted on the American public as the true purpose of government expansion into the field of individual initiative, the most casual analyst can observe that the political trend in Washington today is toward statism.

For the grasping hand of government is reaching out constantly to direct more and more of each American's way of life on the promise that security can be traded for liberty.

To be truthful, and exact, the government planners who propounded the theory of statism (although never by that name) are correct. To offer absolute security is to deny the right of personal initiative. In truth, the only people to have absolute security are prisoners and slaves who need not worry about shelter, food, or any of the other necessities of life. No one wants to be a prisoner; an overlord provides these things for the fruits of the slaves' efforts.

The American people, however, are not conditioned to slavery. If security plainly carried that price tag, it would be refused.

Thus the advocates of an all-powerful government, such as exists in Russia and to a somewhat lesser extent in England, are careful to wray their plans in words like "national welfare," "in the public interest," and, again, "security".

That people can be sold these plans in the above manner is obvious. While each segment of the economy will condemn government intervention on behalf of others, it is quick to approve it in its own case.

Business cries for protective tariff. Labor wants price controls—though not wage controls — and government regulations of business and industry. The maritime industry, trucks, and air lines want government subsidies. And some farmers too often seize upon high, rigid price supports—which of necessity bring acreage allotments and government quotas on crop production.

The politicians are only too quick to fall in line with this scheme of things. It means continuation in office—and power.

The road to statism is not one which is well marked; nor is it always easy to tell when a proposal will lead to it.

During the recent session of Congress, for instance, there were proposals that the Federal Government should be given authority to seize plants, facilities, and mines in labor disputes—"in the public interest."

It was argued that the public would be protected in this way from costly strikes brought about by unthinking management or too-powerful union bosses.

To the contrary, as pointed out by John D. Battle, executive vice-president of the National Coal Association, "No proposal ever sounded more innocent, yet was fraught with such potential danger to our American way.

"Government seizure," Battle pointed out, "means that militant labor leaders are given authority to force the seizure of industries at will. They are in position to precipitate seizure by exorbitant demands. Thus, 'government seizure' is really 'labor union seizure' in essence.

"Once it takes place, the government finds it extremely difficult to terminate. The labor organizations will not permit return of the properties except under conditions satisfactory to them. this means capitulation to the very people whose action is responsible for the seizure."

Concluding, Battle explained, "government seizure as a permanent policy can lead only to nationalization, not only for natural resources, but for all major industries; in fact, government seizure IS temporary nationalization.

"And nationalization will inevitably lead to lowered production, less efficient distribution, abolition of competition, higher costs, growth of statism, loss of personal freedom for labor and management, and ultimate destruction of representative government."

America must soon make a decision. Each expansion of government is another step toward statism—a philosophy which means the end of the American way of life. It might be well to remember that the people of England have been given security by government and so have the people of Russia. With it, hand in hand, goes statism.

FORMER NILES WOMAN DIES IN HAYWARD

A former Niles woman, Mrs. Annabelle Goodlen, 34, died suddely at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Henry in Hayward last Saturday.

Funeral services were held Monday, and were attended by several Niles people who had known the young woman when she was a school girl living in Niles. Her parents had leased the Belvoir Hotel for several years.

She had graduated from Washington High in 1932.

Surviving are her parents, and her two sons, ages two and four.

4-H LEADERS INSTALL OFFICERS

Maurice Jones, Pleasanton, was installed as the president of the Alameda County 4-H Club Council at a dinner held last week at the International Kitchen in Niles.

Marvin Williams, Warm Springs Community Club leader, was installed as vice-president, and Mrs. William Brown, Livermore sewing leader, will be the new secretary-treasurer. These officers will preside over the 4-H Council that directs the activities of all the 4-H Clubs in Alameda County.

The members of this organization are all participating in the 4-H Club program as volunteer leaders of community clubs, agricultural project groups or home economics project groups.

According to Harry P. Bolton, farm advisor, the county council is the largest in the history of the county, having 56 active members. More names will be added to the role as soon as organization of clubs in Alvarado, Centerville, Independence, Palomares, Mt. Eden, Mission San Jose, and Valle Vista is completed.

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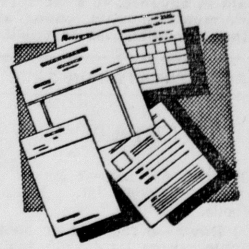

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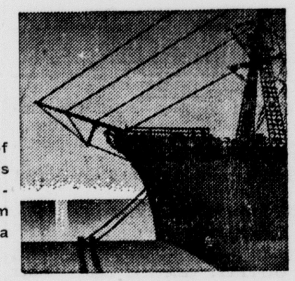

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Three candidates were initiated: Miss Irene Andrade, Miss Martha Silveira, and Miss Vivian Pine.

After the meeting a luncheon was served at a table carrying out the Halloween motif, following which the grand president made a speech.

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DEATH CLAIMS ALEXANDER BUTLER

Alexander Joseph Butler, 64, Niles, well known retired oil distributor, died Monday in an Alameda hospital following a short illness.

He was the husband of Cecelia Butler and father of Mrs. Alden Chamness and Miss Shirley Butler, both of Niles.

He was a native of San Francisco but had spent most of his life in Niles where he was employed by a local oil company for more than 30 years.

Services were held from the parlors of the Berge Mortuary Company, Niles, at 9:30 a.m. Thursday. Burial was at a Hayward cemetery.

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CENTERVILLE SCHOOL NEWS

A dental puppet show, sponsored by the Good Teeth Council, was presented for the students on Thursday, November 3. Miss Jeanette Hall and Miss Nancy Ross were in charge. Students who assisted with the arrangements were: Glen Lewis, lights; Logan Norris, Robert Rehrig, Robert Husted and Tommy Kleine, equipment; Joe Harpel, Jimmy Romero and Tommy Krueger, seating.

The eighth grade class visited the Holly Sugar mill in Alvarado Monday, November 7. The students were accompanied by Mrs. "Nick" Lewis, and Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Maloney. Arrangements were completed by the class officers: Logan Norris, president; Robert Rehrig, vice-president; Novalene Scott, secretary; and Clara Presley, treasurer.

JAMES QUINN IS GUEST SPEAKER

James Quinn, member of the State Board of Equalization, was the guest speaker at the dinner meeting of the Lions Club held Tuesday evening at the International Kitchen.

Quinn told the group that the board's "biggest headache" throughout the state is juvenile drinking, but he was quick to point out that the problem is due, not so much to juvenile delinquency, as to adult delinquency. "Where is mother and dad when the youngster is prowling the streets at 2 o'clock in the morning?" Quinn asked his audience. "We get our least cooperation from the parents," he added.

He went on to state that he personally advocates the divorcing of food from liquor, thus affording a way to keep minors out of bars.

During the business session of the meeting, President Ralph Goodwin appointed Leonard Miller, Henry Enos, George Harvey, Chick Santos and Ted Logan to a committee to take charge of the annual Christmas party for youngsters.

Edward L. Rose, general chairman for the forthcoming annual Lions whist party on December 2, named committee chairmen to assist in all the details of the event.

SURFACING OF TWO STREETS PROMISED

The surfacing of Stevens and Pine Streets in Centerville will be done just as soon as the weather clears, according to Kenneth W. Robarts, chief deputy county surveyor.

Robarts, who was a guest at the luncheon meeting of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday, stated that the crews had started work on Stevens Street this week but had been halted by the rain. He added that Pine Street would be the next project for the crew.

NEW ALFALFA FINDS FAVOR HERE

Production of Ranger, Buffalo, and Atlantic alfalfa seed is a rapidly developing field for California farmers, according to Vernon Miller, assistant farm advisor of the Agricultural Extension Service. These are new improved disease resistant varieties required in large quantities by alfalfa hay growers in other states.

In view of the interest in production of these alfalfa seed varieties, Miller gives these suggestions for production.

Row spacing is being used more extensively for the production of seed on dry land, though this practice is not new. Seed production is improved by spacing both in the rows and between the rows.

At the College of Agriculture, Davis, rows spaced 40 inches apart and plants 40 inches apart in the rows have given the highest yield of seed under dry-farmed conditions. Enough moisture to maintain steady normal growth throughout the productive period is necessary for the best production. Proper plant spacing means adjusting the number of plants per acre to the available moisture. If the soil can be irrigated or is naturally sub-irrigated, rows and plants within the row can be closer. Good results have been obtained from 36-inch rows with plants 8 to 12 inches apart in rows.

Dry land alfalfa should be cut, grazed, or sprayed back early enough to permit full regrowth and maturity of seed on the moisture supplied by seasonal rainfall. This is not so important on lands where sub-irrigation is a factor in the moisture supply. In areas of less than 18 inches of rainfall, it may be advisable to make seed with the season's first growth.

FARM WOMEN MEET AT LIVERMORE

A meeting of the Alameda Farm Home Department County Committee members was held Wednesday, November 1, at the library club rooms in Livermore with the Livermore Center as host.

A dessert luncheon was served at 1:30 p.m. to 58 members representing 14 of the centers of the county.

Preliminary plans were discussed for an annual Christmas dinner party to be held this year on December 7 at the International Kitchen, Niles, at 12 noon. There will be a Santa Claus and exchange of gifts and the theme of the meeting will be "Christmas in Foreign Lands." The Mt. Eden Center will be host.

Mrs. E. A. Winter of Livermore, past county chairman who recently returned from a tour of Europe, was the guest speaker at last week's meeting.

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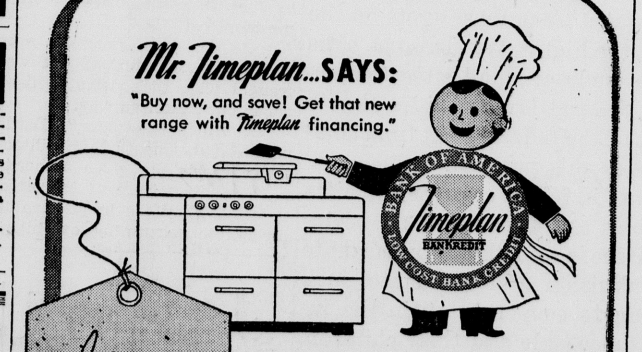

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Have your scrap metal ready for the Boy Scouts. This will help with camping equipment and next year's summer camp.

GIFT SHOP OPENS IN IRVINGTON

A new business house, operating under the name of Creitz Gift Shop, was opened Monday in Irvington at 145 Mission Street.

The new establishment is owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Creitz, formerly of Oakland. The couple is now residing at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Joe Zavattero in Irvington until housing accomodations are located.

Mr. Creitz, a Marine Corps veteran, will retire from active duty on November 30, marking the completion of 20 years of service. He holds the rate of sergeant-major, and is stationed at the Marine Headquarters in San Francisco.

The new store will feature Hallmark greeting cards, Tie-Tie gift wrappings, an attractive line of party favors and centerpieces, a rental library and monograming service.

California's mineral production in 1948 had a value of $1,099,703,000.

California's lead production in 1948 had an estimated value of $3,940,000.

HOMER T. JAMES GIVEN FINAL RITES

Homer T. James, 52, veteran of World War II and formerly a night watchman at Centerville, died Monday at the Oakland Veterans Hospital following a lingering illness.

Final military rites were given Wednesday at the National Cemetery in San Bruno following services at the Grant D. Miller Mortuary in Oakland.

He is survived by his widow, Opal, of Niles; his father, Alvis, of Newark; and five brothers and sisters, Burlia and Dee James and Louise Springer, all of Niles, Jewel Moss of Oklahoma City, and Verba James of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Krueger and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Krueger of Salinas spent Tuesday in Irvington visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Krueger.

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Pupils of Mrs. Clarence Crane were presented at a piano recital. They were Lucille Alves, Lillian Perry, Leona Solon, Olive Malfatti, Florence Martinelli, Dale Carey, Ida Boitano, Mary Pimentel, Gertrude Caley and Gathleen Cleary.

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SAY, POP, WHEN YOU AN' MOM GOT MARRIED DID YOU HAVE A DOUBLE-RING CEREMONY?
NO, SON--
OURS WAS WHAT YOU MIGHT CALL A ONE-RING CIRCUS!
DUCK, DAD!
Gene Byrnes